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and botanist, occurred at Germantown, Pa., on November 19, at the age of seventy-five years.

Dr. John K. Small and Mr. George V. Nash spent the larger part of November in southern Florida, making collections for the New York Botanical Garden.

The newspapers announce the appointment of Professor F. Lamson-Scribner, agrostologist of the Department of Agriculture, as Chief of the Insular Bureau of Agriculture in the Philippines.

Mr. Howard J. Banker, who was a graduate student in botany at Columbia University in 1898–1900, is now teaching in the Southwestern State Normal School at California, Pa.

The Society for the Protection of Native Plants has recently issued Nos. 2 and 3 of its series of leaflets for public distribution. No. 2 is a general statement of the aims of the Society, by Professor George Lincoln Goodale, and No. 3 is "A Plea for the Preservation of Our Ferns," by Mr. George E. Davenport.

The fifth annual meeting of the Society for Plant Morphology and Physiology will be held at Columbia University on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 31 and January 1. The American Society of Naturalists with which this Society usually meets holds its sessions this year at Chicago. Reports of the Society's committees on the Botanisches Centralblatt and upon the Standard College Entrance Option in Botany will be among the special features of the Columbia meeting.

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Page 5, 7th line, *for* D. K. Gilbert, *read* B. D. Gilbert.

Page 26, 7th line from below, *for* varitable, *read* veritable.

Page 79, 12th line from below, *for* era, *read* are.

Page 81, 5th line from below, *for* Corallarhiza, *read* Corallorhiza.

Page 82, 9th line from above, *for* hygrophylous *read* hygrophilous.

Page 100, 13th line from below, *for* is, *read* are.

Page 132, 19th and 20th lines from above, *for* KNO, *read* KNO_3.